# NEVER leave a child alone in a car — even for a minute!



580 children have died unattended in a vehicle in the U.S. since 1998

## WHAT CAN YOU DO?

# SAFE KIDS WANTS EVERYONE TO

# **ACT**

### Avoid. Create reminders. Take action

- A: Avoid heatstroke-related injury and death by never leaving your child alone in a car, not even for a minute. And make sure to keep your car locked when you're not in it so kids don't get in on their own.
- C: Create reminders by putting something in the back of your car next to your child such as a briefcase, a purse or a cell phone that is needed at your final destination. This is especially important if you're not following your normal routine.
- T: Take action. If you see a child alone in a car, call 911. Emergency personnel want you to call. They are trained to respond to these situations. One call could save a life.





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